

THE CREST OF THE SIERRA NEVADA

The highest point in the United States, Mount Whitney, is not an isolated mountain peak like Mount Shasta or Mount Ranier, which are old volcanoes, but is a summit in the great tilted block of the earth's crust, forming California's sawtooth range, the Sierra Nevada.

One stormy day in the early seventies the first Director of the Geological Survey Clarence King, laboriously, amid cloud and fog, climbed to the top of Mount Whitney, as he supposed, only to find, long afterward, that he had really climbed a neighboring peak. By a second journey, however, made two years later on a clear day, he reached the summit of the true Mount Whitney. "The Sierra here," says Mr. King "is a bold wall with an almost perpendicular front of about 3,000 feet, which is crowned by sharp turrets having a tendency to lean out over the

eastern gulf. These are properly the crests of great riblike buttresses which jut out from the general surface of the granite front. Mount Whitney itself springs up and out like the sharp prow of an ocean steamer. Southward along the summit is a region of confused rough-hewn granite obelisks and towers, all remarkable for the deep shattering to which the rock has been subjected. It is a region which may even yet suffer considerable perceptible change, since a single winter's frost and snow must dislodge numberless blocks from the crests and flanks of the whole group. Indeed, at the time of my visit, notably the period of least snow and frost, we often heard the sharp rattle of falling debris.

The top of Mount Whitney stands 14,501 feet above sea level. Among mountains of less height, none of them more than six miles distant from Mount Whitney, are Mount Russell, 14,190 feet; Mount Williamson 14,384 feet; Mount Muir 14,025 feet; Mount Langley, 14,042 feet; Mount Bernard 14,033 feet; and Mount Tyndall 14,025 feet.

THE LIFE AND WORK OF W. H. HUSKEY



Born at Alton, Illinois, of Southern parents on June 26th, 1869.

Father born in Alabama, mother in Kentucky.

At three years of age moved with parents to Texas county, in South Missouri, where the family cleared and farmed 160 acres of flint rock land in the Ozark mountains.

At 12 moved to central Kansas, into the wheat belt, where the family raised wheat and corn.

Some years later the family moved to La Porte, Texas, down on Galveston Bay.

Huskey was educated in the country schools, at the Kansas State Normal, at the Kansas Wesleyan University, a Methodist college at Salina, Kansas, and later had his law course at the Stanford University.

Huskey prepared himself for a teacher, intending to make it his life work. He taught and superintended schools for 12 years in Kansas and Texas.

Giving up teaching in 1902, he went to Stanford University at Palo Alto, California, where he became a special student in law. His grades in law were the second highest given out during the first twelve years' history of the Stanford Law School.

From the law school Huskey came directly to Reno and opened offices, which he still occupies, in June, 1904. The next year he formed a partnership with Charles R. Lewers, an able lawyer, who had been his teacher at Stanford.

In 1906, after being in Nevada only two years Huskey was elected on the Democratic ticket to the Assembly, where he was chairman of the Judiciary Committee. At the session of 1907 he drew, introduced, and secured the passage and approval of Nevada's first Employers' Liability Act, introduced and secured the passage of Nevada's Negotiable Instrument Law, and was one of the builders of Nevada's Railway Commission, which later developed into our Public Service Commission.

Huskey then devoted himself to the practice of his profession, building up

a law practice second to none in the state, until 1914 when he was elected by a very flattering majority to the Nevada State Senate. Altho always a democrat, he carried every precinct in the county. Even Huffaker, the strongest Republican precinct in Washoe County, gave Huskey a big majority in this election.

In the Senate Huskey helped perfect Nevada's Industrial Insurance, helped reform our general election laws, and drew our Direct Primary Law, taking the nomination of party candidates from the old convention and from the political bosses and giving it to the people and removing our Judiciary, from the Justices of the Supreme Court down to the Justice of the Peace, from politics and placing their names on all tickets to be voted upon by all the people.

In drawing the Direct Primary Law for Nevada Huskey secured, read and indexed every Direct Primary Law in the United States. The law as introduced by Huskey into the Senate, as Senate Bill No. 35, in the session of 1917, embraced the best ideas upon the subject of Direct Primary. It was passed and signed, but has been butchered up considerably by the enemies of the Direct Primary principle since that time.

GLACIERS AT THE EQUATOR.

We do not usually think of glaciers in connection with "darkest Africa" or any other part of that continent, but according to the United States Geological Survey, Department of the Interior, there are small glaciers on three of the highest mountains in Equatorial Africa—Mount Kilimanjaro, 19,321 feet high; Mount Ruwenzori 16,800 feet; and Mount Kenya about 17,000 feet high. On Kebo Peak, which is a part of Mount Kilimanjaro, there is an ice cap 200 feet thick, which fills the ravines forming glaciers, several of which extend down to points 16,000 feet above sea level and one to 13,800 feet. Both Mount Ruwenzori and Mount Kenya are close to the equator, but their lowest glaciers extend down to points 12,700 and 14,460 feet respectively above sea level. A study of the no rain forest formed there by these glaciers shows that during the Ice Age the glaciers were much larger than they are now.

BROKEN HILLS DISTRICT ROAD WILL BE REPAIRED

Rebuilding of one and one-half miles of road leading to the Kansas City-Nevada Company's mill near Broken Hills will begin early next week, according to W. H. Kinnon, the manager of the mill. The road was destroyed last month by a waterspout. Reconstruction will be carried out by authority of Nye County Commissioners. Other portions of the road from the mill to the Broken Hills mines, four miles in extent, will also be repaired.

Too Bad, Eph.

Eph Wiley regrets the fact that so comfortable a sensation as picking one's teeth should be considered but form.—Topeka Capital.

ANOTHER RICHMOND IN THE FIELD

The announcement of the candidacy of James T. Boyd has injected an element of interest into the Democratic fight which has been hitherto lacking. Boyd has been active in Nevada politics for the past 30 years and it is conceded by friends of Scruggs that he is an active campaigner. Following is the "personal platform" which he presents to Democratic voters:

I endorse the Democratic platform as adopted by the Democratic state convention.

In addition to that platform, I favor: The abolition of the Public Service Commission and the abolition of all other unnecessary commissions.

The restoration to the people of those rights guaranteed them by the Constitution, and restoration to the counties and incorporated cities and towns a right to regulate their own utilities.

Compelling all public officials to discharge the duties imposed upon them by law without the employment of private individuals or firms, at public expense, except in cases of absolute necessity and when warranted by law.

I shall advocate the modification of the present prohibition law of this state so as to permit the use of light wines and beers, but not to be sold in public places.

If I am elected governor of this state and the present law is not modified, I shall enforce the law regardless of rich or poor.

I make these declarations at this time so that the people of the state of Nevada may know what I would do if I am successful in being elected governor of the state.

Very respectfully,
JAMES T. BOYD

NOTICE

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that certificate numbered 55, representing one share of stock issued by the Lyon County Bank in favor of Nelson Poli dated January 25th, 1910, and certificate number 59 for one share of stock dated May 9, 1910, issued to Nelson Poli, have been lost and that new certificates have been issued therefor and all persons are warned against negotiating the above named certificates with any person whatsoever.

Signed, LYON COUNTY BANK,
GEO. F. WILLIS,
Cashier

Dated August 7, 1922.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

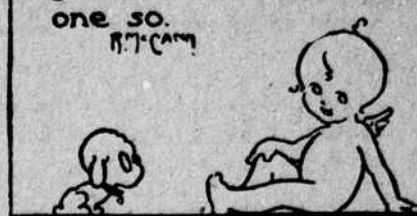
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That the Assessor of Lyon County, Nevada, has delivered to the Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners the certified assessment roll of said county for the year A. D. 1922, together with the original list of property, plat books, etc; and that the Board of County Commissioners of Lyon County, State of Nevada, will meet as a Board of Equalization in the Assessor's office, at the court house, in the City of Yerington, Lyon County, Nevada on Monday, the 24th day of July, 1922, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., and sit from time to time thereafter until the business of equalization presented to them is disposed of.

Said Board will not sit later than Monday the 28th day of August, 1922, at 5 o'clock P. M.

RUEL E. LOTHROP,
Clerk of the Board of Equalization.

THE CHEERFUL CHERUB

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NOTICE OF CLOSE OF RESISTANCE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: That all persons who did not register and vote at the last general election, if they desire to vote at the primary election to be held upon Tuesday, the 5th day of September, 1922, are required, on or before the 15th day of August, 1922, to appear at the Register's Office of the Precinct in which they live or reside, or at the office of the County Clerk of Lyon County, and register for such primary election.

The office of the County Clerk and of the Deputy Register Agents in various precincts in Lyon County, Nevada, will be open from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. on all week days, that 10 days previous to the close of registration, said offices shall be open until 9 P. M., for the purpose of registering electors. Dated at Yerington, Nevada, July 10, 1922.

RUEL E. LOTHROP,
County Clerk.

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids for the delivery of 45 tons of King Coal, at the Court House, in the City of Yerington, will be received at the office of the Board of County Commissioners of Lyon County, Nevada, until August 14, 1922, at the hour of 2 o'clock P. M.

Signed, BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, By

RUEL E. LOTHROP,
Clerk of said Board

First publication, July 12, 1922.

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Nevada
In the Matter of GREAT WEST LAND COMPANY, A Corporation, Bankrupt

In Bankruptcy, No. 312.
To the creditors of Great West Land Company, a corporation organized under the laws of the state of Utah, residing and doing business at Yerington, in the county of Lyon and district of Nevada, a bankrupt:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the 10th day of July, A. D. 1922, the said Great West Land Company was duly adjudicated bankrupt and that the first meeting of its creditors will be held in the District Court Room of the Lyon County Court House at Yerington in said district, on the 1st day of August, A. D. 1922, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, consider the sale, at trustee's discretion, at public, or at private sale without further notice, of all assets of bankrupt's estate, either free of encumbrance, or subject to such sale as may be deemed expedient to be ordered forthwith unless objection thereto be made and sustained—and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

EDWARD C. SHORT, Attorney for Petitioning Creditors; Reno, Nevada.

J. POUJADE, U. S. Referee in Bankruptcy; Carson City, Nevada, July 13, 1922.

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